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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Anthony M. Eaton et al.  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE DECISION OF THE EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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In compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 41.31(a)(1), Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated July 13, 2007, of the Examiner rejecting claims 1-5, 15-72 and 93-95 of the above-identified patent application.

A request for an extension of time to respond to the Examiner's rejection is submitted herewith along with payment of the required extension fee.

A Notice of Appeal with fee was filed by Applicant on October 2, 2006, and an Appeal Brief with fee was filed on April 2, 2007. It is believed that no additional fee is due at this time; however, if any further fee is deemed to be due, it may be charged to Deposit Account No.

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